

***In the Superior Court of the State of California  
in and for the County of \_\_\_\_\_***

*In the Matter of the Petition of*

**STEPPARENT ADOPTION**

***Consent to Adoption by Parent Outside  
California Giving Custody to Husband or  
Wife or Domestic Partner of Other Parent***

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner

I, the undersigned, being the parent of \_\_\_\_\_ do  
Name of Child  
hereby give my full and free consent to the adoption of said child by

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Petitioner (Stepparent)

*the petitioner herein, it being fully understood by me that with the signing of this document my consent may not  
be withdrawn except with court approval, and that with the signing of the order of adoption by the court, I  
shall give up all my rights of custody, services, and earnings of said child, and that said child cannot be  
reclaimed by me.*

Said child was born on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ and is  
Date City and State  
the child of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Birth Parent Name of Birth Parent  
Date \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ )  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On \_\_\_\_\_ before me, \_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public,  
personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_ personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of  
Name of Parent  
satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me  
that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument the  
person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Seal)  
Signature

***NOTICE TO THE BIRTH PARENT WHO CONSENTS TO THE CHILD'S ADOPTION:*** *If you or your child  
lived together at any time as parent and child, the adoption of your child by a stepparent does not affect the child's  
right to inherit your property or the property of blood relatives. For further information regarding this right of  
inheritance, you should consult an attorney at your own expense.*

*This form to be used only when parent is giving custody of the child to the husband or wife or domestic partner, as  
defined in Family Code Section 297, of other parent. Original for court record.*